

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

ELECTRONIC AUCTION METHOD AND SYSTEM PERMITTING  
SIMULTANEOUS BIDS ON MULTIPLE, DIFFERENT ITEMS

An electronic auction method and system are disclosed for permitting simultaneous submission of bids on multiple different items from a single screen image. Multiple different items which are offered for auction are simultaneously displayed on the single screen image. Each of these items may be offered for auction simultaneously using different auction types. Entry of bids is permitted for some or all of these items using the single screen image. The entered bids are then simultaneously submitted from the single screen image. A single confirmation screen image is then displayed which includes simultaneous confirmation of each submitted bid. A single result screen image is also displayed to indicate the results of the submitted bids.